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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>STUR-42</b> U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known) see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>107562521</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/EP2004/006359</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>12 June 2004</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>26 June 2003</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>METHOD FOR PRODUCING BLANKS FROM CARDBOARD AND DEVICE FOR IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Hulverscheidt, Detlef, Jr.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</li> <li>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). <b>(unsigned)</b></li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</li> </ol>		
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</li> <li>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</li> <li>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.</li> <li>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol>		

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20. Other items or information:  Copies of International Search Report, Request, and Written Opinion, with translations				
The following fees have been submitted				CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY
21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))..... \$300				\$ 300.00
22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c))  If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$0 All other situations..... \$200				\$ 200.00
23. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b))  If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$0 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority..... \$100 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB..... \$400 All other situations..... \$500				\$ 400.00
<b>TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 =</b>				\$900.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.				
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- 100 =	/50 =		x \$250	\$
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CLAIMS NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE				\$
Total claims 25 - 20 =		5	x \$ 50	\$250.00
Independent claims 2 - 3 =		0	x \$200	\$ 0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)				+ \$360 \$ 0
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				\$1280.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by ½.				\$640.00
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				\$640.00
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)). +				\$
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				\$640.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$
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THE METHOD  
Attorney's Docket No.: STUR-42

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Sir:

FILING OF PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

The attached patent application is being filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10.

Applicant hereby claims foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119, of International Application No. PCT/EP2004/006359, filed June 12, 2004, and German Patent Application No. 103 28 891.0, filed June 26, 2003.

Applicant's attorney is also submitting the requisite fee on the basis of Small Entity Status, which Applicant hereby asserts, as calculated on the attached transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,



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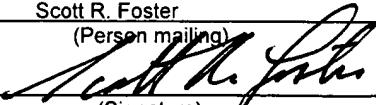
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SUBMISSION OF PATENT APPLICATION TO ENTER  
THE NATIONAL STAGE UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

The enclosed International Application No. PCT/EP2004/006359 is being submitted to enter the United States national stage under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 371.

In addition, Applicant is submitting the following materials:

- (1) a Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning A Submission Under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- (2) a Filing Of Patent Application Under 37 CFR 1.10, including a claim for foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 and 365;
- (3) a copy of the International application as filed, together with an English language translation thereof;
- (4) a Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned);
- (5) a copy of the original PCT Request, together with an English language translation thereof;
- (6) a copy of the International Search Report, together with an English language translation thereof;

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- (7) a copy of the Written Opinion, together with an English language translation thereof;
- (8) a Preliminary Amendment;
- (9) an Information Disclosure Statement; and
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In the event that any additional fees may be required to be paid in connection with this matter, please charge the same, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0221. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for the convenience of the Office.

Please direct all communications in this matter to the undersigned attorney.

Thank you.

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